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(S) EconOff delivered subject demarche and nonpaper (Ref A) to Ahmed Al Kathiry, Deputy Chief of American Affairs at the MFA on December 20. Al Kathiry indicated that he would follow-up on the issue with the office of the Minister of Foreign Affairs. Post has previously demarched various officials within the MFA, including Yosuf bin Alawi, Minister Responsible for Foreign Affairs, regarding the need to urge Iran to resolve the AMCIT cases (reftels B and C). Post will report the results of Al Kathiry's inquiry as soon as they are received. Schmierer